



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 04329.2148

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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:)
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Shinichi KAWAMURA *et al.*) Group Art Unit: 2137
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Application No.: 09/377,064) Examiner: Matthew SMITHERS
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Filed: August 19, 1999) Confirmation No.: 7317
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For: ENCRYPTION/DECRYPTION)
APPARATUS,)
ENCRYPTION/DECRYPTION)
METHOD, AND PROGRAM)
STORAGE MEDIUM THEREFOR)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated
December 29, 2003 of the Examiner.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☐ A Petition for extension of time to respond to the final rejection was filed on [Date] extending the period for response to [Date].
2. ☒ A Petition for extension of time to further extend the period for response to June 29, 2004 is enclosed together with a fee of \$950.00.
3. ☒ The Appeal Fee of \$330.00 is enclosed.
4. ☒ A check for \$1,280.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

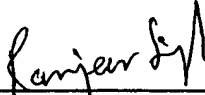
Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: June 28, 2004

By: _____


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